King Hussein Comprehensive Secondary School for Boys
The Second Secondary Grade - Content Analysis English language
The First Semester

MODULE 1 Technology			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills
Information technology	Vocabulary: computer technology; information technology	Grammar: revision of the tenses from previous levels (the Present Simple, Continuous, Perfect, Perfect Continuous and Simple Passives; the Past Simple, Perfect and Past Passives; the Future with *will* and *going to*); revision of reported speech	- Listening: a radio programme about Internet safety; a discussion about creating web pages - Speaking: a brief talk about how you use computers at home and at school - Reading: an article about the history of computers; a text about how information technology is used in education Writing: a discursive essay
MODULE2: Health			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills

A healthy life	Vocabulary: health and medical conditions; colour idioms	Grammar: be used to, used to; the Past Perfect Continuous	- Listening: a conversation about anger management - Speaking: a comparison between life now and five years ago - Pronunciation: Using the International Phonetic - Alphabet – IPA (1) - Reading: an article about complementary health treatments; - an article about the harmful effects of anger and negative - attitudes on health; a report about healthcare in Jordan - Writing: a report
MODULE2: Medical Advancements			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills

Medical advances	Vocabulary: medical advances; medical technology	Grammar: the Future Continuous; the Future Perfect	- Listening: a talk about medical robots - Speaking: a short presentation about life in the future - Pronunciation: Using the International Phonetic Alphabet – IPA (2) - Reading: a personal story of a young inventor; a website article about medical technology in the future; an article about the King Hussein Cancer Center - Writing: a descriptive essay
*MODULE 3 Achi*evements			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills
Achievements	Vocabulary: subjects and specialisms; the environment	Grammar: cleft sentences; revision of relative Clauses	- Listening: an overview of Arab/Islamic history - Speaking: a presentation about the possible extent of the success of Masdar City project in Jordan - Pronunciation: Minimal pairs (1) - Reading: an article about the importance of specific Islamic achievements in history; an academic essay about Masdar City - Writing: a summary

MODULE 3: The Arts			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills
The arts	Vocabulary: arts and crafts; handicrafts; American English spelling	Grammar: articles; American English	- Listening: a tour guide at the Azraq Wetland Reserve; an overview of the Madaba Mosaic School - Speaking: a discussion about craftspeople - Pronunciation: Minimal pairs (2) - Reading: a report about the arts in Jordan; a magazine - article about a professional craftsman - Writing: an argumentative essay
MODULE 4: Education today			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills

learning	Vocabulary: School and studying university subjects, revising for exams; world-building, education.	Grammar: Quantifiers to make comparisons	- Listening: a talk by a career advisor about university courses; a lecture about an international students exchange programme. - Speaking: a class survey on future study at university. - Pronunciation: Word stress - Reading: a comparative study of the school day in different countries; a newspaper article about studio schools; a blog about the German-Jordanian University. - Writing: a blog post.
Module 5 Discourse			
Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills

Language	Vocabulary: language and culture; phrasal verbs, gender-neutral words; languages Business; economics; finance.	Grammar: Phrasal verbs; question tags; revision of passive forms.	- Listening: a discussion about gender- neutral language. - Speaking: a discussion about extensive reading - Pronunciation: Sentence Stress(1) - Reading: a website article about the relationship between language and culture; a magazine article on the development of sign language. - Writing: a competition entry

Module 6: Choices

Theme	Vocabulary	Structure\ Function	Skills
Choices	Vocabulary: Careers ; curriculum vitaes	Grammar: Zero and first conditionals with future time phrases; the third .conditional	- Listening: a radio programme about careers; an interview with a woman talking about career change. - Speaking: a discussion about career choices; an evaluation of applicants for a job. - Pronunciation: Intonation. - Reading: a text about a career as an interpreter; curriculum vitas and covering letters. - Writing: a curriculum vitae and a covering letter.

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